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LEFFLER WITHDRAWS HIS CANDIDACY

Mar. 13, 1942

To the Voters of Jasper county:

It is very probable that I will soon be serving in the army of the United States. In view of this fact I feel that it is unwise to continue my campaign for the Democratic nomination to the office of county superintendent of schools. I have, therefore, requested the county clerk to withdraw my petition from the list of candidates seeking this office.

In the present crisis the desires and the ambitions of the individual must give way to national interest and welfare. There can be neither national nor individual security until victory is ours. For this cause alone I shall be glad to serve in the present emergency.

With deep appreciation I wish to thank my many friends throughout the county who have so loyally and generously supported my candidacy. I now urge that they give the same support to my opponents in their campaign for this office.

It would have been a great personal pleasure if I could have had the opportunity to meet and to talk with every voter during the course of this campaign. I trust that at some future time I may have the privilege and the honor of serving the people of Jasper county.

Harold G. Leffler